



S/A 10/035,730

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: SAWA Examiner: K. Menon  
Serial No.: 10/035,730 Group Art Unit: 1723  
Filed: December 24, 2001 Docket No.: 10873.853US01  
Title: METHOD OF COMPOSING INFUSION LINE  
Customer No. 23552

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.8: The undersigned hereby certifies that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service, as first class mail, with sufficient postage, in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on 9/3/04.

By: Linda Engel  
Name: Linda Engel

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop RCE  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a further two-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed March 19, 2004, said period of response being extended from July 19, 2004 to September 19, 2004.

Our check in the amount of \$840 is enclosed to cover the required extension fee for a large entity (\$950.00 minus \$110.00 equals \$840.00). A one-month extension of time was previously submitted on July 19, 2004 in the amount of \$110.00.

Respectfully submitted,



MERCHANT & GOULD P.C.  
P.O. Box 2903  
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402-0903  
(612) 332-5300

Dated: September 3, 2004

By: Douglas P. Mueller  
Reg. No. 30,300

09/09/2004 SDENB0B1 00000100 10035730

02 FC:1253

840.00 OP